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Transmitted herewith are the following:

- Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts dated April 11, 2002
- Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated April 11, 2002
- **Calculation Fee Sheet**
- **Petition for Four Month Extension of Time**
- Executed Declaration of Michael R. Wessels and Colette Cywes
- **Preliminary Amendment**
- Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449 with cited references
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Respectfully Submitted,

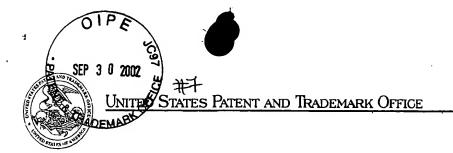
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# NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

### Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.

  Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$6592.

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■ \$4716 for 262 total claims over 20.	01 FC:201	370.00 GP
■ \$1596 for 19 independent claims over 3.	02 FC:202 03 FC:203	798.00 OP 198.00 OP
<ul> <li>\$280 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.</li> </ul>	04 FC:205	65.00 OP

- The oath or declaration is missing.
  - A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 7462.
- This application does not contain a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). Applicant must provide such statement. If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000).

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With regards to the paragraph regarding a Sequence Listing, Applicants respectfully state that there are no sequences in the above-referenced application and that this application, as it stands, complies with sequence listing rules.

No additional fees are believed to be due. If the authorized amount is determined to be insufficient, the balance may be charged to the account of the undersigned, Deposit Account No. 23/2825.

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## **Fee Calculation Sheet**

CLAIMS	FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE		FEE	
	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	42-20=	22x	\$	18.00	= \$	396.00
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	22-3=	19 x	\$	84.00	= \$	1,596.00
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT	CLAIMS (if applica	ble) (37 CFR 1.16(d)) +	\$	280.00		
					SIC FEE CFR 1.16(a))	\$	740.00
	Fee for Petition for Extension of Time (if any) Other Fees (if any)					\$	1,440.00
						\$	130.00
	Total of above Calculations =				\$	4,302.00	
	Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28)  Assignment Recordation Fee (if any)  TOTAL =					\$	2151.00
						\$	0.00
						\$	2,151.00

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### General Authorization to Charge Deposit Account and General Request for Extension of Time

- If the filing of any paper in this application necessitates the payment of a fee under 37 CFR §§⊠1.16 or ⊠ 1.17, and the fee due is in an amount different from any enclosed check or if no check is enclosed, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23/2825.
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    The applicant hereby revokes any prior authorization to charge a fee due under 37 CFR §§ □1.16 □ 1.17 or □ 1.18.
- If the filing of any paper in this application necessitates an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136(a), the 3. applicant hereby requests such extension of time. If the fee due is in an amount different from any enclosed check or if no check is enclosed, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23/2825.

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